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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

REQUEST FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby request a Two-Month Extension of Time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), to and including June 25, 1999 in which to respond to the Office Action mailed February 25, 1999.

A check in the amount of \$380.00 is enclosed to cover the appropriate fee based on a Large entity status. The undersigned authorizes the charging of any additional fees and crediting of any overpayment associated with this communication to our Deposit Account No. 06-1050. A duplicate of this letter is enclosed.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner of Patents,

Washington, DC 20231 on:

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